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Disposition of Claims 1-9 ょん いっち 4)区 Claim(s) is/are pending in the applicatio	n.	
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Claims 40-52 and 55 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over either of the patents to Watanabe et al. or Fisch et al. for the reasons of record.

The barrier layer in Fisch et al. is optional and there is no teaching in Fisch et al. that their adhesive layer functions as a barrier layer. Furthermore, barrier layer properties are not attributed by Watanabe et al. to the layers present in their receptor sheet.

Claims 1-9, 11-39, 53 and 54 are allowed.

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